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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN RECOGNITION OF NORTH KOREA

REF: STATE 139367

1. AUSTRALIAN CHARGE (GOGGIN) HAS INFORMED US THAT AMBASSADOR BOURCHIER BRIEFED VICE FONMIN LHO JUNE 27 ON STATUS OF AUSTRALIAN-DPRK NEGOTIATIONS, INCLUDING POINTS REPORTED REFTEL. BOURCHIER DEPARTED JUNE 28 FOR ONE-MONTH VACATION IN EUROPE, TO WHICH CANBERRA AGREED IN EXPECTATION AGREEMENT WILL NOT BE REACHED WITH DPRK BEFORE END OF JULY.

2. ACCORDING GOGGIN, LHO REPEATED TO BOURCHIER ROKG REQUEST THAT GOA DELAY RECOGNITION OF DPRK UNTIL AFTER UNGA.

3. GOGGIN SAID THAT DPRK WILL BE PERMITTED TO OPEN RESIDENT MISSION IN CANBERRA ONLY AFTER AUSTRALIAN SURVEY TEAM VISITS PYONGYANG AND SECURES DPRK AGREEMENT ON HOUSEKEEPING AND OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS. GODDIN SAID BOURCHIER HAD OBSERVED TO LHO THAT THIS CONDITION WOULD
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PROBABLY HAVE EFFECT OF DELAYING FOR SOME TIME OPENING

OF DPRK MISSION IN CANBERRA.
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